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SUBJ: GAO SURVEY: CUSTOMS SERVICE PROCEDURE

REF: STATE A-2135

1. REFAIR FROM STATE A/BF/OAG WAS RECEIVED HERE ON JUNE 27.
EMBASSY CONVEYED THANKS TO THE AUSTRALIAN BUREAU OF CUSTOMS
FOR ITS ASSISTANCE EARLIER THIS YEAR IN REVIEW OF AUSTRALIAN
CUSTOMS SYSTEM FOR PROCESSING IMPORTS. COPIES OF EXCERPTS
FROM U.S. GENERAL ACCOUNT OFFICE DRAFT REPORT TO THE CONGRESS
ON "CUSTOMS' CARGO PROCESSING -- FEWER BUT MORE INTENSIVE
INSPECTIONS ARE IN ORDER" WERE ALSO HAND DELIVERED ON JUNE 27TH
TO V.G. MONTGOMERY, DEPUTY SECRETARY (CUSTOMS), GOA DEPARTMENT
OF BUSINESS AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS FOR REVIEW.

2. EMBASSY HAS TODAY RECEIVED REPORT FROM MR. MONTGOMERY STATING
THAT THEY HAVE NO DIFFICULTY WITH EXCERPTS FROM THE GAO AND WOULD
APPRECIATE RECEIVING THE FINAL REPORT IN DUE COURSE.
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